

Society

WITH Easter Sunday just a week away and a spring season of unusual gaiety assured, one might naturally expect that the six days of Holy Week would afford a welcome rest to the majority of the socially elite who have been accustomed to eat, drink, and be merry in each other's company from the first days of November to the present time.

But even Holy Week finds so much to do that the average merry maker refuses to pause, and with the solitary exception of next Friday, there is no day without engagements for the average woman of the smart world. Some wise ones there are, to be sure, who have taken themselves to Old Point, Atlantic City, or the Virginia Hot Springs for a quiet visit, without even the excitement of a card table, but the majority of maids and matrons who have participated in the amusements of the past winter will be found in Washington for at least six weeks to come.

In the Executive household there is still the shadow of illness, even though the plucky little Archie has almost recovered from his very severe attack of diphtheria. The eldest of the four sons of the President has in the past few days returned from Harvard very much run down, and needing rest and care only to be had in his own home and under the direction of his devoted mother, who is now passing most of her time between these two patients. While confined to his room most of the time, Theodore, Jr., is not regarded as seriously ill, and according to the present prospects will return to college after the Easter recess without any serious loss in scholarship.

Archie is still confined to his room under the care of two nurses, and thus far has received no visitors. It is expected, however, that he will be able to rejoin the family circle for Easter, when the entire family will be at home, including Master Kernal, who arrived a day or two ago from Groton.

It will be remembered that during Archie's convalescence from measles two years ago he received a most extraordinary visitor in the form of his plebeian pony Algonquin, who was taken up in the White House elevator, walked through the upper corridor to the bedside of his loving little master, whose confinement to his room was made much less irksome by reason of the visit. Algonquin was a new possession at that time, having been presented to Archie by the former Secretary of the Interior, Mr. Hitchcock.

His owner has, however, quite outgrown Algonquin, and now rides a pony of normal size, while the smallest mount of the White House stable has been passed on to Quinten, the youngest of the family, and may be seen bearing his small person for a ride, accompanied by a groom on a bicycle, nearly every pleasant day between 12 and 2 o'clock.

For the new Cabinet hostesses, the spring season should be a time of particular pleasure, as they will have ample opportunity of meeting their friends and a small circle of the official world and their particular friends without the obligation of making a long list of first calls, as required when Congress is in session. The Cabinet hostesses, despite their position, are obliged to call on the wives of Senators, the wives of the Justices of the Supreme Court, and to return the calls of all women whose husbands occupy an official position. The failure to observe this rule, which has been respected by many administrations, is at present causing much embarrassment in a certain official household the mistress of which failed to follow the precept of doing that which she should do and leaving undone that which she should not do. Happily the official season came to a close just when the officials' sins, both of omission and commission, became most obvious, so that the innocent transgressor, who is a charming and kindly woman, incapable of deliberately wounding the humblest of their visitors, or lacking in courtesy to the greatest thereof, is all unconscious of her offenses, and may at the opening of the next season be able to overcome an impression which, if allowed to grow, will breed as merry a social feud as has entertained society in a dozen years or more.

The return of Mrs. Root from New York has brought all the Cabinet hostesses again to Washington, although, owing to the continued illness of the White House, the weekly meetings of this always interesting circle have not been resumed.

Mrs. Taft did not accompany the Secretary of War to Panama, but will join him next month on his homeward way at San Juan, Porto Rico.

The Ambassador from Great Britain and Mrs. Bryce are the most entertained couple in America at the present time, and are likely to maintain this pre-eminence indefinitely, as their engagements already run all through May, and were they so disposed they could easily dine out every day and select their hosts from every circle of society in half a dozen different cities. On the conclusion of their present visit in New York on Tuesday, they will go to Canada, to be the guests of General Grey at the governor-general's palace in Ottawa.

The coming week will bring little entertaining in the diplomatic circle, as most of the foreign hosts are strict observers of Holy Week, which begins to-morrow.

For the week following, however, there are already many invitations abroad. The Mexican Ambassador and Mme. Creel will give a dinner April 2, and a large evening reception Saturday, April 6.

The Russian Ambassador and Baroness Rosen will entertain at dinner on Thursday, April 4.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. McLean will open the Easter hospitalities by a large luncheon at Friendship, to which nearly two hundred guests have been bidden, on Easter Sunday.

Miss Frances Williams and Mr. William Wallace Mein, who are to be married on Thursday of Easter week, will be the bright particular stars at a number of dinner parties, as their marriage is to be followed by their immediate departure for South Africa, to the

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extreme regret of the large circle of friends made by the handsome bride-elect in her two years' residence in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wadsworth will give a cotillion Monday evening at Rauscher's, which will also be the scene of two subscription dances during the same week, the Sixty Couple Cotillion and the dance in aid of the Children's Country Home.

The marriage of Miss Frances Isham, late of Chicago, and Mr. Henry T. Shelton, of Bridgeport, Conn., took place at noon yesterday at the home of Mrs. Levi Z. Leiter, on Dupont circle, where the bride and her sister have been guests for several days. Only a small company, including the relatives of both families, witnessed the ceremony, at which the officiating clergyman was Rev. John Douglas Adam, of Manchester, Vt., who came to Washington for the occasion. Miss Isham wore the conventional wedding dress of white satin which was profusely trimmed with bouquets of lilies of the valley and orchids.

Mr. Shelton was attended by Mr. Edward T. Sanford, of New York. A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. Shelton left for New York to sail on Tuesday for Europe. The bride, who is very widely known by her pet name of "Grechen," is the youngest daughter of the late Edward Swift Isham, who at the time of his death was a resident of Chicago, where he practiced law with the Hon. Robert T. Lincoln, and was a close friend of the late Mr. Leiter. His daughters have a summer home at Manchester, Vt., where their family lived for many years prior to Mr. Edward Isham's departure for Chicago.

The Viscount de Martel, third secretary of the French Embassy, and Viscountess de Martel, who have been at the Shoreham, have moved to the residence on Connecticut avenue formerly occupied by the counselor of the embassy and Mme. des Portes.

The Count and Countess Hatzfeld Trautenberg, of Germany, who have been passing several months with the parents of the countess, the Japanese Ambassador and Viscountess Aoki, will return home shortly after Easter.

Miss Hilda Jacob, of P street, has returned from a very delightful visit to Havana, Cuba, where she spent five weeks as the guest of her brother, Mr. William Jacob.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Sigmund, who have been living at 1713 V street since their marriage, last January, have taken an apartment at the Wyoming.

Mr. Raymond Denzer, of New York, was in town for a few days.

Mrs. B. Hartz, of Twelfth street, returned to the city on Monday, after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Levi, of Manning, S. C.

Mr. Jack Wall, of Baltimore, is the guest of friends for a few days.

Rev. Dr. Abram Simon spent a few days in Norfolk during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hillman entertained the members of the Bowling Club at a banquet at Harvey's on Tuesday evening in celebration of their sixteenth wedding anniversary. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. Harry Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Kahn, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Ben-singer, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Goldheim, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Baum, Mr. and Mrs. Julius I. Peyer, and Mrs. Arthur D. Marks, and Mr. Reginald Kern.

A coming change in the administration circle of social interest is the appointment of Mr. Beckman Winthrop for several years governor of Porto Rico, to the post of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. Mr. Winthrop will arrive in Washington from Porto Rico about April 20. He and Mrs. Winthrop, the latter a particularly attractive young matron, who was Miss Wood, of New York, have been frequent guests at the White House, and also visited the family of Senator Keen, and are already well known in smart society.

Mrs. Richard Townsend has deferred her departure for Europe, and is now uncertain as to where she will pass the summer, but may take a cottage at Newport, where she passed a short season several years ago when in mourning. Miss Townsend is at present visiting her cousin, Mrs. Ronalds, in New York. Mrs. Townsend is quite indisposed and confined to her home on Massachusetts avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Block, of 304 R street northwest, wish to announce the confirmation of their son Milton, at home, Sunday, March 24, from 6 to 10 o'clock.

Miss Violet Brocklebank, of Liverpool, England, who has been passing some months with Mr. and Mrs. George Westinghouse, will sail for home next Wednesday. No time has been fixed for the marriage of Miss Brocklebank and George Westinghouse, Jr., whose engagement was announced here and in Liverpool some two months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Westinghouse, who is the only son of the great inventor, is still in college, and during the past few months has suffered a severe attack of typhoid fever. He is now with his parents and fiancée in New York. Mr. and Mrs. Westinghouse, who passed the winter at Newport, will return to the city on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Saks, of New York, were in the city for a short stay.

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Westinghouse, who passed the greater part of the winter at Lenox estate, will open their Washington house for a short season this spring. Miss Brocklebank and her sister have spent considerable time in Washington with Mrs. Westinghouse in past seasons.

There will be quite a Washington atmosphere about the wedding of Miss May Tucker, and Mr. Herman Kinnicut, which is to be one of the most important events of the coming month in New York as Miss Tuckerman will have among her bridesmaids the Misses Julia and Alice von Meyer, daughters of the Postmaster General; Miss Dorothy Kissel, granddaughter of Mrs. D. P. Morgan, and Miss Dorothy Whitney, daughter of the late Secretary of the Navy.

The ceremony will take place April 18, at the Church of the Incarnation, and will be followed by a reception at the residence on Madison avenue, near Thirty-sixth street, which Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Tuckerman have leased for the occasion.

Mrs. Sol Peyser, of Newport News, spent a few days in the city with Mrs. N. Peyser, of 1733 U street.

Mr. M. Altmyer, of New York, was in town for a few days.

The Phoenix Club has cards out for a "smoker" on April 17.

Miss Camille Lamsburg and Mr. Rutherford B. Lyon were married on Thursday morning at the residence of Rev. Louis Stern. After a short wedding journey they will be at home at 1018 Vermont avenue.

A theater party followed by a supper was given in honor of Miss Beulah Herman, the guest of Miss Daisy Marx, on Thursday evening. Those in the party were Miss Frieda Weil, Miss Jeannette Gans, Miss Daisy Marx, Miss Sadie Elsenman, Miss Maud Baer, and Messrs. John Stern, Alfred Wolberg, Harry Loeb, Wallace Luchs, and Nathan Weil.

Capt. and Mrs. Warren C. Beach, who are at their H street house for the spring season, have invitations out for two dinner parties and a large reception, all in the first ten days following Easter. Capt. and Mrs. Beach, who regularly pass the spring in Washington, are always among the distinguished hosts of that time, as their entertainments are as a rule small, but numerous, and their guests extremely well chosen. The reception for which the cards are out will be held at Rauscher's, April 12. There will be music for dancing, but no cotillion, as at the last entertainment these hosts gave at Rauscher's.

A very pretty party of the Easter season will be the fancy dress ball given at Rauscher's on the evening of April 4.

Mrs. Charles H. Butler and Miss Marcella Butler, who went abroad last autumn immediately after the announcement of the engagement of Miss Butler and Mr. Edward Heald, are expected to return to their home on I street during the second week of April. The marriage of Miss Butler and Mr. Heald is expected to be one of the important events of the early summer.

The marriage of Miss Rebecca Van Lennep to Dr. John Dean Elliot at Trinity Church, Philadelphia, April 3, will have a particular interest for Washington, not only on account of the bride's visits to this city, but owing to the presence in the bridal party of the two daughters of Col. and Mrs. Reeves Russell. These attendants, who are just three years old, are cousins and godchildren of the bride. A number of Washington guests will attend the ceremony and the reception to follow at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. William B. Van Lennep.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Eighth Street Temple gave a very enjoyable tea in the vestry rooms Monday afternoon.

Mr. Benjamin Nordlinger, Mrs. A. M. Baer, and Miss Rita Baer left for New York during the week to attend the Dinkelspiel-Philippson wedding on March 25, at Delmonico's.

The members of the Imperial Club were hosts at one of the most enjoyable dinners of the season at the Shoreham Hotel on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius I. Peyer, Mr. A. Prince, and Miss Alma Prince have returned from a visit to Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Farwell, who have had a delightful season in England, where they had a house in the fashionable hunting region through the winter, will return to America in April, and after a short visit in New York and Washington, will go to their ranch in the Southwest for the summer.

Mr. Montgomery Blair, who was recently appointed to a judgeship in Panama, will leave for Colon Wednesday, to be absent until June.

Mrs. Addie Sigmund and family, formerly of 1713 U street, are now located at the Vernon, where they will be pleased to see their friends.

Mrs. Bayerdoerfer and daughter, of Mount Holly, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Herzog, of Randolph place.

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of New York, to Mr. Cyril Martineau, of London. While no date is mentioned for the wedding, it is expected to take place in the early summer at Tuxedo Park, where Mr. and Mrs. Collier reside most of the year. The bride-to-be is the niece of Mr. Herbert D. Robbins, who married Miss Helen Carroll, of Maryland, and also of Mrs. Perry Belmont, of this city.

Mrs. Samuel Bieher, Mrs. Isadore Kaufman, and Mrs. Harry S. Wolf will be at home on Thursday for the last time this season.

Miss Edna Tyler spent a few days with friends in Washington in the past week en route from California, where she passed the winter, to join her parents, Col. and Mrs. A. C. Tyler, in Alabama. The latter will, as usual, pass the summer at their place in New London, Conn.

The former Secretary of State and Mrs. Foster are taking no part in social affairs, owing to the recent death of Gen. Foster's mother. For many years the annual visit of Mrs. Foster, Sr., and the mother of Mrs. J. W. Foster, to the home of the latter, on Eighteenth street, was one of the most beautiful incidents marking the home life of the ex-Secretary and wife, who are ideal representatives of Washington society in its broadest and best sense.

Mrs. Hobart and Mr. and Mrs. Garrett A. Hobart, Jr., who recently left Washington for their home, in New Jersey, are passing a week at the Waldorf, in New York, to attend the opera.

Mrs. Audenried will leave for Atlantic City shortly after Easter to pass several weeks.

Miss Carolyn Forte, who has just concluded a series of current topics talks at the residence of Mrs. Reyburn, will go to Rochester, N. Y., to deliver two special lectures there before sailing for Europe. Miss Forte will join friends in Switzerland for the summer.

Mrs. Reyburn, whose husband, former Representative John E. Reyburn, has been elected mayor of Philadelphia, will not take up her residence in that city until autumn, as she expects to pass the summer, as usual, at New London, Conn. Mr. and Mrs. Reyburn, who have lived since 1891 in Washington since the former first entered Congress, will probably return here on the expiration of Mr. Reyburn's term as mayor, as Mrs. Reyburn is particularly fond of the social life of the National Capital, where she hopes to present her young daughter several years hence.

Congratulations are due Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Y. Bradley to-morrow on the second anniversary of their marriage.

Miss Barbara Brodie, who is passing the spring season with her grandmother, Mrs. Alexander R. Shepherd, will leave to-morrow for New York, to be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Frank Coe, for the Cambridge, Mass. Mrs. Brodie, who has lived nearly all her eighteen years of life in Mexico, is a particularly charming and handsome girl, who came to Washington in the care of the Ambassador from Mexico and Mme. Creel, who are intimate friends of her parents. She speaks Spanish with the fluency of English, and is a great acquisition to the circle of young people from the Latin-American embassies and legations, with which she has become closely identified.

Miss Brodie is extremely fair, and tall and graceful, with particularly winning manners, which have made her a prime favorite.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn McKee are passing the spring season at Asheville, N. C., where Mrs. McKee will be among the patronesses of the Spring Horse Show. This season to be the most important event of the Easter season at the North Carolina resort. Mrs. Thomas Chesborough, formerly Miss Alice Connally, and a great belle in Washington a few years ago, is also one of the patronesses.

Capt. and Mrs. Eugene H. C. Leutau, of the navy yard, were hosts Friday evening at a small informal dinner company. The guests were Capt. and Mrs. Sharpe, Capt. and Mrs. Quailrough, Mrs. Pollock, of New York; Miss Leutau, Owen Scott, and Lieut. Kearney.

An interesting golden wedding celebration will be that of Capt. and Mrs. H. H. Garrett, which will take place on March 26 at their place, "Burnt Orchard Farm," near Herndon, Va. Scores of their friends will go out on that afternoon to pay their respects, and they have arranged for a special train to meet the 5:30 train from here in the morning and the 1:30 train in the afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Hinckley entertained a company of young people at luncheon yesterday, complimentary to Miss Una Hatten and Miss McSherry, of Baltimore.

Mrs. J. W. Smith, of this city, is one of the recent arrivals registered at the New York Herald bureau in Paris. Mrs. A. M. Wickorham is also a late Washington arrival in Paris.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Mudd, 507 Third street, was the scene of a birthday celebration last Wednesday evening, in honor of their daughter Elizabeth. Among those present were Misses Nann, Hall, of Richmond; Virginia Grayson, Estelle Eaton, Helen Gerber, Edith Sheridan, and Mrs. T. N. Mudd, Jr., Messrs. T. N. Mudd, Jr., William Thrall, J. Marion Peniche, of Cuba; Sydney Mudd Jr., James Leavitt, Leonard

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Miss Grace M. Donn and Mr. Maynard P. Shoemaker were quietly married by Rev. Carl Doney on Wednesday, March 23, at noon. The couple left immediately for a short honeymoon trip to Philadelphia and Atlantic City. After April 7 they will be at home to their friends at 108 New Jersey avenue northwest.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Astor Bristol, formerly well known in Washington, have returned from a winter's residence in Rome and gone to their home, at Stockbridge, Mass.

Judge and Mrs. George W. Atkinson entertained a particularly interesting dinner company Friday evening, complimentary to the secretary and board of directors of the American Society for Religious Education.

Hon. George E. Boren, of the Court of Claims, is in Florida.

Mrs. John W. Conner, of the Cairo, left last week for Parral, Mexico.

Mr. A. S. Titus left the city Friday night for Danville, Va.

Mr. Simeon Rising, a sophomore at Princeton, will be a guest of his sister, Mrs. Le Roy Parker, of Capitol Hill, during the Easter holidays.

Mrs. John Philip Wentling, formerly Miss Evelyn Price, of this city, is a guest of her mother, Mrs. L. C. Price, of Capitol Hill. Mrs. Wentling will remain several weeks before returning to her home in Mont Alto, Pa.

Mr. Jonathan Wainwright, Jr., of Overbrook, Pa., has been in the city for several days.

Mrs. Nelson Gopen, of Columbus, Ohio, is visiting her mother, Mrs. James Dunnington, of Capitol Hill.

Mrs. Speer, of Capitol Hill, entertained at what Tuesday evening. Her guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Parker, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hine, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hine, Mr. and Mrs. Fluckey, Mr. and Mrs. Pitcher, and Mrs. Nottingham. Miss Nottingham, Miss Prescott, Mr. Lockwood, Dr. and Mrs. Summy, and Mr. Tarbox.

The entertainment by the Woman's Army and Navy League on Wednesday, April 10, at Fort Myer, promises, besides its varied features of amusement, to be a brilliant social event. The patronesses are Mrs. Audenried, Mrs. Aspinwall, Mrs. F. C. Alsworth, Mrs. J. Franklin Bell, Mrs. Brownell, Mrs. W. J. Boardman, Mrs. Richard Butler, Mrs. A. S. Barker, Mrs. Cowles, Mrs. Richardson Clover, Mrs. C. H. Davis, Mrs. George Dewey, Mrs. George B. Davis, Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins, Mrs. G. L. Gillespie, Mrs. C. A.

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